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Civil Rights Division

Federal Coordination and Compliance Section-NWB 950 Pennsylvania Ave, NW Washington, DC 20530

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Mr. Rafael DeLeon, Director, Office of Civil Rights U.S. Environmental Protection Agency 1200 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW Mail Code 1201A Washington, D.C. 20460

Re: Winterville, GA

Dear Mr. DeLeon:

Enclosed for your review is correspondence received by the Federal Coordination and Compliance Section of the Civil Rights Division, U.S. Department of Justice (DOJ) from Ms. (b) (6) Privacy of Winterville, GA. Ms. (b) (6) Privacy alleges that in 1999 after her was diagnosed with (b) (6) Privacy, industrial toxicants were discovered in her well. She further alleges that neither state nor federal agencies took action to remedy this.

The matter does not appear to be within the jurisdiction of our office. However, because Ms. (b) (6) Privacy's complaint raises the issue of toxicants in her well water, it falls within the jurisdiction of your office and, therefore, we are referring it to you for appropriate disposition. We have referred Ms (b) (6) Privacy allegations about the Agency for Toxic Substances and Diseases Registry to the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services. The writer has been notified of the referrals.

Please keep us apprised of this matter. Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

Deeana Jang
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Chief

Federal Coordination and Compliance Section Civil Rights Division

Enclosures

cc: Ms. Lisa Garcia, Associate Assistant Administrator for Environmental Justice, EPA
Ms. Cynthia Giles, Assistant Administrator for the Office of Enforcement and Compliance
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